

Subject: Re: CD14 Street Closure Committee - Update/Thoughts

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I think it's a great idea. Thanks for thinking of this and including us. Best, Carol

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 26, 2017, at 11:49 AM, Joella Hopkins <joella.hopkins@lacity.org> wrote:

Happy Holidays! I hope this message finds you all enjoying this holiday season.

We've been reviewing our Street Closure committee rules and regulations and have what we hope is a great way to move forward in 2018. I'd like your initial feedback before we implement.

Currently, applicants whose events occur within DTLA are asked to present to Street Closure committee to obtain our blessing. They present their communications outreach plan. But, there is no real confirmation on what they do or don't do so we hope there is follow through. When we vote to approve their application we trust the outreach to our stakeholders and residents has or will be done.

I want to change that. I'd like to ask for your help. I want to make it a requirement that if the applicants event is in your BID area that they must notify you so your BID can send a notice out. You will be providing an additional service and we can have a better handle on the events happening in DTLA. We will be asking each applicant to complete a form and obtain your signature. I know that's a bit of work on your end - but also ensures that this way no one slips through and we are more aware of the street closures happening in our respective areas.

Can you please provide me with your thoughts? Also, who should I list on this form as the person to contact.

I appreciate your help and look forward to working more closely with you all much closer in all matters in 2018!

And, still working on a way to incorporate Film, Construction, 1st Amendment, and Special Event related closures to a single calendar. Please stay tuned.

Best,

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